

RURAL HOSPITAL BOARD IS NOW APPOINTED

CONSOLIDATION OF SCHOOLS QUESTION

MR. BARRON OF EDMONTON SPEAKS ON WORK OF THE SCHOOLS

Mr. R. A. Barron, B.A., organizer of consolidated schools for the department of education of Alberta, addressed a meeting in the Council chambers on Monday afternoon last.

The meeting was called to hear Mr. Barron on the advisability and feasibility of consolidation in this district. Unfortunately not many representatives outside school districts were present, perhaps because the meeting was held in the afternoon. Those present, however, received much information on the matter under discussion.

The speaker informed the meeting that there are at present out of the 2000 school districts located in the province, 50 working under consolidation. A few districts had gone back upon the consolidated scheme for various reasons after having launched the re-organization but in no case had a reversion to the old individual school system taken place when once the consolidated form had been tried.

There were four things necessary to the success of a consolidated school:

1. A desire on the part of the people of a district for an efficient educational system.

2. A favorable geographical and topographical situation.

3. Sound economic conditions.

4. Solid backing for the scheme on the part of the districts involved.

Mr. Barron in covering the first point dealt on the fact that only one per cent of the children of rural schools attained the eighth grade. He gave as an instance the case of a school where only one out of ten teachers are not a stable quantity. They come and go. The average female teacher stays with the profession only three years. The teaching by one teacher, however good, in one room, of seven to nine grades cannot be productive of the best results.

As to the second point: It has been discovered that a consolidated school area in the form of a cross provided the easiest solution to transportation difficulties. We have in the province districts ranging from 18 x 2 to 120 square miles in extent. The longest van route at present in operation is a large quantity of hay near Kinless. His brother, LaRue Smith, of Delbourne, has been compelled to move his large herd of cattle up to this part of the country in order that hay might be secured for them. The south where he is at present, is burnt up by drought and the ranchers are in a bad way for feed. Mr. Smith fortunately was able to resist from the G. T. P. forty-five quarter sections of hay lands north of Kinless and will winter his cattle there.

With regard to the third consideration it was shown that by making a valuation of the property within the proposed area and putting a mill rate thereon; and computing the cost of operation, it would be ascertained without difficulty as to the amount of money of unencumbered debentures of taxation which would be required. In the case of one of the districts concerned was discussed; but it was felt that, if the public were sufficiently enlightened to obtain the best possible education for our boys and girls, this would be no barrier.

On the fourth point, the speaker urged the success of the scheme must entirely depend upon it. The scheme is a farmer's scheme. It is unfortunate that many are suspicious of the consolidation idea, believing that it is a scheme for the benefit of the towns and villages where the school is to be built. Mr. Barron, however, gave instances where farmers had rushed townpeople into adopting the plan and pointed out that for instance would lose direct control of its school, having only one representative on the board while the other three or four would be farmers.

There were no grounds for supposition. In all cases where it has been used the consolidation scheme has

CANADA RANK AS A CATTLE PRODUCER

	COMPARED WITH OTHER NATIONS ON THE BASIS OF THE NUMBER OF ANIMALS TO THE HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND IN FARMS
HOLLAND	100
GERMANY	80
GERMANY	70
FRANCE	60
ITALY	50
UNITED STATES	40
CANADA	30

WAINWRIGHT DISTRICT WILL HAVE 60 OR 70 PER CENT CROP

The crop situation throughout the western provinces this year is not one to cause much elation over. However through the Watnawright district we confidently look forward to having a fifty per cent yield of maybe better.

Mr. S. R. Bowerman, who has travelled over nearly two hundred miles of territory in this riding, reports that in the northern part, along the Battle River, the wheat will average forty per cent of the ordinary crop. The oat crop will be good, providing we have a little more moisture, there being nearly 7,000 acres of crop in this northern part of the district, and it is all looking fair.

Toward the east and south, the rain has been less plentiful and the farther south and east you go the grain becomes more dried up. In some places poor farming is blamed to a great extent for the stand, as unless the land is properly cultivated to hold the moisture, it soon becomes dry and the grain becomes a failure.

Last Friday it is understood that a very good rain fell through the Dolley district, and this may help matters.

WILL PUT UP HAY TO WINTER STOCK

Herb Smith, who has been handling the Massey-Harris line of machinery, wishes to announce that he has given up the agency and that it will be taken over by George Wanless, of the Wainwright barn.

Mr. Smith will be busy this summer supervising the putting up of a large quantity of hay near Kinless. His brother, LaRue Smith, of Delbourne, has been compelled to move his large herd of cattle up to this part of the country in order that hay might be secured for them. The south where he is at present, is burnt up by drought and the ranchers are in a bad way for feed. Mr. Smith fortunately was able to resist from the G. T. P. forty-five quarter sections of hay lands north of Kinless and will winter his cattle there.

RIGHT OF SASKATCHEWAN TO SURTAX H. B. SUSTAINED

Regina, Sask., July 17.—The right of the provincial government to legislate in connection with imposing a surtax on the Hudson's Bay company was upheld by Mr. Justice Lamont in the supreme court of Saskatchewan, when judgment rendered in the case of Bratts Lake Rural Municipality vs. Hudson's Bay company. An appeal will be taken to the privy council. About \$100,000 of taxes annually are at stake, as almost every municipality in the province contains more or less land of the Hudson's Bay company.

It was pronounced an unequivocal success.

It was thought by some present that it would be best to "make haste slowly" in this matter and thoroughly canvass the feeling of the districts concerned before taking any further action. To do this Mr. Barron will return later this year and visit points in the surrounding country.

A CATASTROPHE IN BASKETBALL AT IRMA

Oh girls! Wasn't it awful! Don't say a word about it. We never had the time to practice anyway.

And a hundred more things. That is how the Wainwright girls' basketball team felt after their encounter with Viking, which took place at the Irma celebration last Friday. The score was—too bad to mention it—30 to 0—the "0" interesting the girls here the most. However, they were playing against handicaps at the Viking team were well versed in the science of the game and were older players.

The Wainwright girls are not discouraged, however, and will journey to Irma on Friday to try conclusions with the Irma team and we hope to report a score a little different from the one above.

The team is composed of: Helen Shirley, Edith Bowen, Faith Douglas, Mildred Mabey, Lola Mabey, and Grace Brown.

90,000 AMERICANS SENT OVERSEAS IN PAST WEEK

American troops overseas and on shipboard en route have passed the 1,000,000 mark, General March, chief of staff, told senate military committee members at the weekly conference. This represents an increase of more than 90,000 since last week.

Three army corps of from 25,000 to 35,000 men each have been definitely organized from American divisions in France General March announced.

PRISONERS RETURN

The Austro-Hungarian war minister, says a Vienna dispatch, announces that far more than 500,000 Austrian war prisoners already have returned from Russia.

HOSPITAL BOARD SOON START WORK

FIRST MEETING WILL BE CALLED BY CHAIRMAN AT EARLY DATE

The Rural Hospital scheme is now off to a good start. The ten board members have been appointed according to the act, and the next step will be to call a meeting for the discussion of the proposed scheme. The chairman, who will be appointed by the minister, will likely call a meeting at an early date and they will then open the discussion regarding the placing of the site, the striking of the assessment, plans for the building, and methods of raising the funds to begin work.

After the hospital board have got their scheme outlined and all the plans laid out the whole proposition will be published for fourteen days and if then there are no objections raised to the scheme, it will be approved by the minister.

Much discussion is taking place in certain quarters regarding the larger hospital idea. We would respectfully draw the attention of the ratepayers in the district to the fact that the proposed hospital area that the village of Irma had mapped out is now an impossibility. They originally included thirteen townships in their scheme. Township 42 in R. 4, S. 24, T. 15, have now definitely been included in the Vermilion and Mannville hospital districts, leaving them only township 42 in R. 4, S. 24, T. 15. It would not appear possible that the Irma hospital district could even support the smallest hospital that the government will sanction, which is nine beds, from the revenue from it. It would not appear possible that the Irma hospital district could even support the smallest hospital that the government will sanction, which is nine beds, from the revenue from it.

The estimates are of a conservative nature and represent probably the minimum yields rather than an exaggeration of the situation.

The success of the hospital depends absolutely on the support, financially and morally, that the people give it. The territory now outlined will provide ample revenue without being a burden to anyone. It will assure the financial end, and that is one that is the all-important. With the financial part well taken care of, there will be satisfaction, as for and success. Now all that the hospital—with the larger area and the up-to-date equipment and plenty of accommodation.

PUBLICITY MAN ON G. T. P.

W. C. Riddell was appointed advertising agent for the Grand Trunk Pacific with headquarters at Winnipeg, where he will act as western assistant to H. S. Charlton, general advertising agent for the Grand Trunk system.

It always makes a man mad to reflect that his great-grandfather could have bought the post office block for \$5.00 and didn't do it.

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AUSTRALIA	100
GREAT BRITAIN	80
ITALY	70
ARGENTINA	60
FRANCE	50
HOLLAND	40
UNITED STATES	30
GERMANY	20
DENMARK	10
CANADA	5

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Editor, Wainwright Star:
Sir—As a reader of your paper, I beg to take exception to an editorial in your issue of the 10th inst., re Municipal Hospital.

From what I have personally seen and heard (people of Irma, Edgerton and Chauvin have very good reason for being aggrieved. For what reason were they not allowed to be included in the district, mapped out for an Hospital District? Why were positions ignored?

In your editorial you state that the aim of the government in establishing a municipal hospital is the greatest need to the greatest number. Surely this rule has not been ignored by them and the three villages missed out intentionally.

For what reason would it not be fair to place this hospital outside of Wainwright, even assuming that it is the largest town in the riding and also in the centre of the riding. In the Wainwright Hospital District, the ratepayers of the village of Irma would suppose that the aim of the government would always be kept in mind in establishing these districts.

One very peculiar paragraph in your editorial cannot pass the eye of the most dense who believe in fair play, viz: "It is not the desire of the people of this town to exclude the villages along this line from the benefits to be derived from the hospital, as they will have the opportunity of coming in later by petition"; an explanation of the preceding clause would give us enlightenment. Wainwright will be in good time to state its desires when they are given the opportunity; for in mind it savours too much of one-sidedness as there are others who may possibly have something to say about it. Even if this thing has been railroaded through with the utmost despatch.

You evidently assume that Wainwright's desires have to be catered to, irrespective of what any of the outside districts may desire, but, as we are living in an age when the voice of the people is the ruling factor, there can only be one conclusion drawn when bona fide ratepayers are wilfully left outside in matters deeply concerning them; furthermore it is so far from being with British fair play that the outcome cannot be mistaken.

Thanking you for the space, I am, Yours truly,

RATEPAVER, Edgerton, July 17th.

In reply to the above communication we would say that in regard to the first question, of leaving out of the villages named in the hospital scheme was due to the simple reason that the ratepayers in these villages were adverse to the scheme and would not petition to be included in the area, but instead desired to form a smaller area for the construction of a cottage hospital. If petitions were sent to Edgerton from them they were evidently received after the Wainwright scheme had been accepted.

As to the hospital site, nothing is known where it will be placed, as that matter rests entirely with the hospital board, who will meet before long and decide on the location.

Regarding the paragraph alluding to the villages entering by petition, the following from the act will explain:

"2. Section 3. The minister shall have power to add territory to any established hospital district subject to such terms and conditions as he shall determine.—Editor.

THIRD BIG GERMAN OFFENSIVE IS LAUNCHED

GERMANS GAIN MILE AND A HALF ON THIRD ATTEMPT IN RHINE SECTOR

London, July 17.—Dispatches arriving in London this morning say that only at one point did the Germans succeed in advancing today, and then at enormous cost. At eleven o'clock after two unsuccessful attempts the Germans on a front of six miles pushed into the French lines to a depth of one and a half miles at its deepest point, at Rhinette mountain.

On the American front a downpour of rain over the battle zone between Chateau-Thierry and Dormans on the Marne front has served to slow up operations since early this morning.

Paris, July 17.—French positions remain intact along the whole Champagne front, according to the war office announcement. Heavy fighting continued throughout the day and at some points the Germans were able to make gains, but they met with powerful resistance everywhere.

On the Albanian front the usual artillery activity was displayed along the whole front. The French troops made new progress north of the Devoli river. We occupied the village of Mervan, capturing about thirty prisoners.

Check Hun Drive

Paris, July 17.—The battle continued today with stubbornness along the whole front. West of Rheims, despite his efforts, the enemy was not able to make further advances. Outposts, by their heroic resistance and incessant counter-attacks, checked the alternative advance and recoil the thrust of the enemy.

South of the Marne the fighting proceeded on the wooded slopes north of Stagnan and La Chapelle-Mouthouin. Very spirited actions north of Comblizy and Festigny enabled us to hold the enemy on the southern outskirts of Bouquigny and Chateauignies.

Between the Marne and Rheims the battle continued north of Reuil and in the Bois-du-Rei, which the Germans penetrated and which our troops defended foot by foot.

The situation is without change in the sector of Virgny and southwest of Rheims.

The Germans today were throwing their utmost efforts northward of the Marne in the direction of Maunoir-Les-Fosses which fell momentarily into their hands, but was shortly afterwards retaken by the French in a brilliant counter-attack.—The situation is generally regarded as excellent for the allies who, instead of having to an offensive on a grand scale, now are being forced to ward off only local attacks.

As it provided that the ratepayers of the territory so added have before-hand endorsed the said addition by voting favorably thereon and in such case the provisions of this Act respecting the preparation of a map of the scheme shall be null and void in section 2 herein shall mutatis mutandis apply.

We invite correspondence touching of the hospital question and will endeavor to obtain all the information last terms and conditions as he shall determine.—Editor.

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WAR-TIME THOUGHTS.

We have been at war now nearly four years, and people in Canada have this last year began to feel the effects of the great struggle in their life. Until a year ago the industrial life of the country was not so seriously affected especially in the smaller communities and towns. The last year, owing to the shortage of men of 19 to 23 from the farms and other lines of work, has left a shortage of labor that has been very keenly felt.

The government have been giving millions of dollars to the war effort. It may be overcome, and lending their assistance in hundreds of ways to arrange the man-power so that the greatest good might be obtained.

Coming down to the individual person, we have noticed quite frequently that many things are done that show the spirit of sacrifice and adjustment to present conditions that should be absent. All classes of business are short-handed at present, and those who are left at home, all have to do practically the work of a man and a half. This fact is bound to result in less efficiency and promptness in the dispatch of business. Now, the individual who stores into the local store or office and demands why this, that or the other thing has not been accomplished right on the spot, should stop and think a moment. The business man probably has been overloaded with work and is doing his best. You have no right to censure him for his apparent negligence. Instead, it is your duty to help along in any way possible to facilitate the carrying on of business. We hear of people who grumble because a merchant does not have a certain article, when in all probability that certain could not be obtained.

Don't grumble: make the best of everything for you are many times better off here than if you were in Europe. Don't be afraid to put your back to the wheel and help keep things going. If you do your utmost, you will be accomplishing but a small who left here for the front are doing, percentage of the work that the boys and you are living in luxury compared with what they have to put up with.

THE RURAL TELEPHONE PROBLEM.

We need a rural telephone system in this district—we need it badly. Not only do the farmers need one, but the business of the town could be transacted with much more facility if it would be possible to get in touch with the rural population through the medium of the phone.

In the advent of the establishment of a hospital here the need of the rural phone becomes a necessity. The advantages of a hospital would be diminished without it. Farmers co-operative phone systems are working in districts around us and have proved a success. In a future issue of the "Star" we will place before the public the complete information regarding the cost of construction and maintenance of a phone system. This estimate will be the very latest and should be a foundation to build up an organization that will go ahead with the construction of the line.

The Edmonton exhibition was a big success this year. Many fine exhibits were on view, notably those of live stock. The Bar U ranch of High River had a splendid string of Percherons that would be the pride of any farmer.

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Are we going to have an exhibition in Wainwright this year?

The recent rains have made a wonderful difference in the crop outlook through the district. A few more showers should make a 60 per cent oat crop a certainty.

WORLD NEWS.
A report from Amsterdam says that Von Hindenburg is dead. His death is said to have occurred after a stormy interview with the Kaiser, and was due to a apoplectic stroke.

Eighty-two thousand seven hundred and fifty-eight men have enrolled under the military service act and 30,749 are still available but have not yet been called up. This number will make the 100,000 asked for by the government.

C. P. R. telegraphers may call out a sympathetic strike soon with the operators of the Great Northern.

An early session of parliament is being discussed at Ottawa. The habeas corpus proceedings in the supreme court of Canada, the fact that the validity of the government's suspending cancellation of exemptions is under consideration, are questions that will have to be dealt with.

Chicago is leading the National and Boston the American baseball leagues.

The new order in United States calling professional players of draft age in baseball, as being in a non-essential occupation, may result in the disbanding of the big baseball leagues.

The Austrian retreat in Albania is now said to be bordering on a rout. The Italians have captured vast supplies and inflicted heavy losses on the enemy during the last week.

The town of Wetaskiwin gave the Calgary Auto club a good reception: they were there going through to attend the Edmonton exhibition. The party arrived in the sleepy burg at 7 o'clock and the only thing that welcomed them was the village dog and the town constable, who ordered them to move on, so as not to disturb the slumbers of the inhabitants or they would all be placed under arrest.

CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS FOR CANADIAN BOYS

The Canadian War Contingent association proposes to put up 100,000 pounds of Christmas plum puddings for the men in the trenches, to be delivered in London in time for the pudding to be distributed for Christmas. The Hamilton Fruit Kitchen of the Canadian Red Cross Society has placed its plant and staff at the disposal of the association for this purpose, all expenses being met by the C. W. C. S.

The amount named will ensure each Canadian soldier overseas being served a generous portion of delicious pudding on Christmas day.

The puddings will be put up in five pound tins and for each \$50 received, sixty puddings will be dispatched overseas, each tin being labelled with the contributions of the society or individual making the contribution; but the association cannot undertake to forward any puddings specially addressed to units or individuals.

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He: Yes, I've joined the National Army of American Jewellers.

She: What on earth is that?

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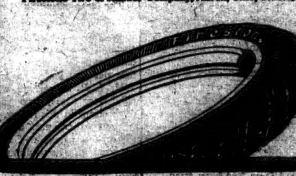
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by Geo Wanless former

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HAY PUT UP FOR HIS LARGE

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THE GIRL GUIDES

Edited by Rev. Henry Wilson, M.A. Dublin University and Vicar of St. Thomas Church, Wainwright

ARTICLE V.

In writing this series of articles upon the "Girl Guides" it is not by any means my intention to organize a company in this town. I am prepared to leave that in more capable hands, being always ready and willing to offer my experience and advice. I am still associated with the movement in Saskatchewan and elsewhere and this demands as much time as I can afford to give.

A good deal of what I have already written applies similarly to the "Boy Scouts" a troop of which we had also in St. James, many of whom have now been sacrificed in France. As the "Boy Scout" movement grew in St. James I was most fortunate in being able to hand it over to an old English scoutmaster, then in Saskatchewan, who brought this troop to a high state of perfection, and who, along with several of the "Scouts" went over to France with the Saskatchewan battalion. He has now returned suffering from wounds, but is able, I am pleased to say to take up his old troop once more. It thus fell to my lot to work up the "Girl Guides," and while I never lost my interest in the "Scouts" the "Guides" demanded by close attention.

The object then of my articles, is not exactly to organize a company here, but rather to remove the "hazy" ideas and unfounded prejudices as to what that "Girl Guide" really are. We had no humble about it whatever. We placed clearly before us the high ideals and line of work of the organization and along this pathway the girls had to go. I confess that the initial stage was full of discourtesy and sometimes very tiresome, but as I look back over it all now, and see the results obtained and the splendid "Guides" we have turned out, I would willingly go through it all again were I sure of the same results.

The original St. James "Girl Guides" are this day scattered far and near, but wherever they are either in France, England, the States or Canada they are a band of sister girls that they ever were before more reliable, more trustworthy, more efficient, true to their word, true to themselves, true in the Empire, true to its flag.

The letters that I receive from them are an education in themselves, and I published would prove valuable and interesting reading. Nothing silly about them but rather the output of a cultured mind that knows the value of original and independent thought.

"This, they learned in the "Guides." Only this day I had a long letter from a "Girl Guide" at camp. The description she gave of the scenery of their nice camp fire throwing its lurid glare across the waters of the lake, of their songs around this fire, of their remembrances of other days, of their evening hymn of prayer that God might protect our brave lads upon sea and land, was worthy of the pen of Charles Dickens.

I would gladly publish this letter only I know she would object and feel her confidence was betrayed, and this from a girl who at one time had no ideas outside dress and silly sentimental novels.

She learned something better in the "Guides"; holds many of its badges, and can earn her own living independent of the wide, wide world.

The Enrolment. We have now traced the girl all through the "tenderfoot" class up to the time that she has fitted herself for entrance into the "Guides."

The enrolment is most picturesque and is a "handkerchief" in the girl's life to which she can always look back.

DAIRY MEN ATTENTION

WE AGAIN SOLICIT THE PATRONAGE OF BOTH OLD AND NEW SHIPPERS FOR THE COMING SEASON.

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It usually takes place at the local headquarters and is followed by an "at home" to which a limited number are specially invited.

But in our case in Saskatchewan, it was held by special request in the fine church of St. James, a beautifully equipped edifice entirely due to the good work of one of its late vicars, and who now as an army chaplain is serving with the Imperial forces.

It was held immediately after Sunday evening service, and we had not more than two each year as it was announced in the city papers. The church was taxed to the utmost to provide accommodation for the large congregation present. A special service was used upon each occasion.

Punctually to the hour—and before the surplised choir proceeded from their robing room, through the church to the choir stalls in the chancel—the "Guides" marched to their places in guide file, no confusion or fuss, each girl knowing her own place in the line.

They looked so picturesque in their pretty uniform, their crimson neckerchiefs adding a pleasing color to the scene.

After the sermon which briefly dwelt upon some of the "ideals" of the organization, the chaplain took up his position at the entrance to the chancel and called to him the captain and lieutenant. These officers at once came to attention and saluted.

The captain then gave the order for the girls to be enrolled to come forward which they did under the command of the senior patrol leader. Standing to attention, in front of the girls the captain asked each girl in turn:

"Do you know what your honor is?"

The girl replied: "Yes. It means that I can be trusted to be truthful and honest."

Next the captain says: "Can I trust you on your honor to be loyal to God and the king, to do good turns to other people, and to obey the Guide Law?"

The girl, holding up three fingers of her right hand with the thumb crossed, replies: "On my honor I promise that I will do my best to do my duty to God and the King. To help other people at all times. To obey the Guide Law."

Then all the congregation kneel

reverently while the chaplain offers up this prayer: "Lord, we pray Thee that Thy Grace may always follow us and make us to be continually open to good works, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen."

The captain then shakes hands with each girl and says in a clear voice, heard all over the church: "I trust you on your honor to keep this promise you are now one of the great sisterhood of "Girl Guides."

The senior patrol leader then gives the word of command and the new "Guides" fall into their places.

The organ peals out in the well known key of the National anthem and the choir and vast congregation join in that volume of sound, which is carried into the outlying streets. The "Guides" file out of the church with military precision, to their headquarters where after numbering off before the lieutenant and saluting are dismissed.

It is a ceremony to be seen not exactly written about. The congregation present generally ran from six to eight hundred.

The girl cannot fail to be impressed and from that time out, she feels that great things must be expected from her.

TIMOTHY IN B. C. GROWS EXCEPTIONALLY WELL

Mr. B. Westcott, immigration agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, has just returned from Central British Columbia, bringing with him samples of timothy taken from the farm of Mr. Andrew Miller, located in the Mud River Valley, south of Prince George on the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, which gives a practical demonstration of the fertility of the soil in that district.

Mr. Miller has 40 acres of timothy that will average over four tons to the acre and the length of the heads run from 7 inches to 9.34 inches. Mr. Miller started farming in the Mud River valley in 1911, practically without a cent. Today he has 40 acres of land fully paid for, 40 cows, a full set of implements, in addition to a suitable number of head of stock.

This is one more practical demonstration of what may be accomplished by people who are willing to work in a country where nature has provided all the other necessities for a satisfactory crops of almost any nature.

On the door of a public dining hall in Montana is this notice: Just take one lump of sugar and stir like hell. We don't mind the noise.

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FOR MEN:- any hat in the house valued at \$4.00, Saturday each \$1.75

SHOES another lot of these fast selling ever wearing shoes. Regular value to \$6.00 this week at \$2.60 pair

BOYS KINCKER PANTS:- all sizes from 23 to 36 well made and roomy, Friday and Saturday less 15 p. c.

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SUPREME COURT OF CANADA WILL NOT HEAR ALBERTA CASE

Ottawa, July 12. — The important question of the validity of the order-in-council of April 20, cancelling exemptions granted under the Military Service Act, reached the supreme court of Canada Friday morning in the form of an application for a writ of habeas corpus for Pte. George Edwin Grey, of Nipissing, who is under arrest because he refused to don a military uniform at Niagara camp, and also because he declined to be inoculated.

After hearing the application in chambers, Mr. Justice Anglin consented to the issuance of an order referring the matter to the full supreme

court which will sit on Thursday next July 16. This was done at the request of E. L. Newcombe, deputy minister of justice, and no objection was raised by F. H. Chrysler, K.C., Ottawa or C. C. Robinson who made the application on behalf of Grey. As a result this application will be the basis for the settlement by the courts of the highly important matter of the validity of the order-in-council of April 20. There will be no appeal from the judgment of the Supreme Court of Alberta, danger of the possibility of an objection to such an appeal being taken thereby being avoided.

Canada Food Board Notes on Anti-Loafing

The loafers and merely nominal workers of the North American continent have fallen upon evil days. Both in Canada and the United States, the law has set its face severely against them. On July 1st the United States Federal order, as drawn up by Provost Marshall Encon Crowden, went into effect. All men of draft age, that is between the ages of eighteen and fifty have now to be engaged in some productive employment or get into the army. This federal order is being re-enforced by anti-loafing laws, enacted by the state legislatures.

The provost marshal has defined productive and non-productive occupations and there is no escape for those who cannot be classed among the productive workers if they are of draft age. Non-productive occupations in the United States are defined as follows:

First, persons engaged in the serving of food and drink or either in public places, including hotels and social clubs.

Second, passenger elevator opera-

tors, attendants, doormen and footmen, carriage openers, and other attendants in clubs, hotels, stores opera houses, office buildings and bath houses.

Third, persons, including ushers and other attendants engaged and occupied in connection with games, and amusements, except actual performers in legitimate concerts, operas and theatrical performances.

Fourth, persons employed in domestic service.

Fifth, sales clerks, and other clerks employed in stores and other mercantile establishments.

If a man of draft age registered in due course and waiting his selection for the draft he is not employed in productive occupation, or if he is idle partially or completely, he must hold himself on immediate call for the army. The regulation is applicable to idle waiters, to waiters of all descriptions, and employees of race tracks and book shops, to fortune-tellers, clairvoyants, palmists and persons of such vocations.

If the board of appeal so judge, idlers may have their deferred classification withdrawn and their names will be reported to the adjutant general of the state for military service. The only excuses for idleness and non-productive employment on the part of a man of military age are set down as sickness, reasonable vacation, lack of reasonable opportunity for employment not to exceed one week, unless such are habitual and frequent or domestic circumstances involving hardship to dependents if a change of employment were ordered, or where such change would necessitate night work on the part of women under unsuitable conditions.

MORE FISH USED

The Canada Food Board campaign to increase fish consumption is having results. In the Canadian army stationed or in training in Canada, 200,000 pounds of beef were saved in the month of May, and approximately the same amount in the month of June by the substitution of fish. In the west a train load of flat fish every few days from Prince Rupert is sold at popular prices under the auspices of the Canada Food Board. In Toronto recently 100,000 pounds of mackerel were sold within one week as the result of a special campaign.

Mr. W. P. Hinton, vice president and general manager of the C.T.P. who has just returned from a trip to the coast, announced that contact has been closed for the first five steel ships to be constructed at the dry dock in Prince Rupert, B. C., with prospects of further heavy ship construction in the near future. Those already contracted for will be 8,500 ton steamships and it is expected that the organization work for the building of them will be started within the next ten days.

Considerable new industries are being developed along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway in British Columbia, more particularly the construction of several new saw mills on the Upper Fraser river.

A general air of prosperity predominates on the Pacific coast and also along the line of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, east from Prince George, in British Columbia, so far as new development is concerned, both of an agricultural and industrial nature.

PENALTIES FOR BREAKING CANADA FOOD LAWS

"Any person violating any provision or any order or regulation of the Canada Food Board now or hereafter made in pursuance of the power invested upon it, is guilty of an offence and shall be liable upon summary conviction before a police magistrate or a justice of the peace to a penalty not exceeding \$1,000, and not less than \$100; or to imprisonment not exceeding three months, or to both fine and imprisonment." By order in council P. C. 1542, of June 22, 1918. The enforcement of the orders and regulations of the Canada Food Board depends principally upon the patriotic cooperation of the municipal police authorities.

Boost the hospital scheme, wherever you go. We must carry the war motion to a successful end. With one hundred or more miles between Ross and Edmonton is the narrow belt of the need of the establishment of one there is apparent. Boost and help.



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\$25.00 REWARD will be paid by the Vermilion Live Stock Protection Association to the first person giving information to the coroner of any person or persons stealing horses or cattle belonging to any member of the Association. C. W. Robinson, secretary. 24-34

WANTED—Someone to do washing on own home preferred. Apply to the Star office.

\$25.00 REWARD for information and proof of identity of person who on Monday evening, June 24th between 7:30 and 8 p.m. in the northwest part of the town shot and killed black and white thoroughbred show sires dog named Fritz, belonging to N. E. Cook, now overseas.

WANTED to find owner of brown mare branded small a over larger 25. Information to George Cheestman, Hope Valley. 25-39

PUBLIC NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Wainwright. Take Notice that His Honor Judge J. L. Crawford, Judge of the District Court of the District of Edmonton, will at the sitting of the court held here on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1918, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Wainwright, Alberta. Passed at the Town of Wainwright this 31st day of May, 1918.

H. Y. PAWLING,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Wainwright, Alberta.

PUBLIC NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Gilt Edge No. 422.

Take notice that His Honor Judge J. L. Crawford, Judge of the District Court of the District of Edmonton, will at the sitting of the court held here on Tuesday, the 10th day of September, 1918, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Gilt Edge No. 422.

Dated this 21st day of June, 1918.
D. W. H. Wainwright, Alberta.

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Wainwright, Alberta.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF EDMONTON

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of Teunice Healy Simmons, late of the District of Greenfield, in the Province of Alberta, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the order of this court, that all persons having a claim upon the estate of the above named Teunice Healy Simmons, who died on the 5th day of July, A.D. 1916, are required to file with Messrs. Fieldhouse and Boyd, barristers-at-law, Wainwright, Alberta, by the 10th day of August, A.D. 1918, a full statement duly verified by them of their claims and any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrators will distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice have been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated this 20th day of June, A.D. 1918.

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Approved:
Signed J. L. Crawford.

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GREAT EARTHQUAKE RECORDED AT VICTORIA

Victoria, B. C., July 14.—The local government seismograph today recorded a world-shaking earthquake shock. The distance from its centre is estimated by the officials at 900 miles.

HEALTH HINTS

J. W. MacQueen D.D.S.

"At the Edmonton fair this year were two unique and interesting exhibits. One was the Provincial Government's health exhibit under the management of the Alberta Public Health nurses, a newly organized body with Miss Christina Smith, R.N., as superintendent, which has a most important work entrusted to it in connection with school inspection and home visiting in rural districts. It is hoped they will soon get down to practical work." The chief exhibit here were on the subjects of care of children, tuberculosis, house flies, venereal diseases and typhoid fever. This movement evidently deserves its existence and its operation from the U. S. A. as all the literature is borrowed from the writings of American physicians, which, however, doesn't make much difference. Truth is truth even though it came from Germany.

The other exhibit is inspired by the Life Extension Institute of New York, which has been mentioned in these columns and it appears in Canada under the direction of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. of New York who propose carrying out as energetic propaganda in the interests of health and physical fitness among its policy holders first, and indirectly among the general public. This insurance company give their policy holders a thorough free examination periodically by competent physicians in fact by experts who are appointed by the Life Extension Institute. Those holding insurance for \$1,000 have an examination every four years, the \$2,000 men are examined every three years; the \$3,000 men every two years and the \$4,000 men annually. They also have visiting nurses for industrial policy holders, that is those holding small policies with premiums payable weekly. The most up-to-date tuberculosis sanatorium in the world situated in New York is conducted by this insurance company. They then not only issue insurance policies but aim by examination and prevention to keep them healthy thus lessening the risk. No doubt this plan will soon be adopted by other insurance companies.

STRAYED—From Section 2-4-6-8, mile west of Clark Manor, a gelding 5 years old, bay with narrow white strip on face, right hind foot white, brand visible. Lost since August 1917 and may have faint brand Y on left shoulder. Chas. Young, Islay, Alberta. 26-39

EVERY GARDNER HIS OWN SEED GROWER

While right selection from year to year is necessary for most kinds of vegetables when grown for seed; and while to keep them pure, the different varieties have to be grown some distance apart yet most of the seed grown in the home garden is likely to give almost or quite as satisfactory results or even better than that which is bought, and as some seed may be difficult to obtain next year, it is recommended for each person who has a garden to let a few plants or specimens ripen, from which seed can be saved.

It is better to mark the best plants and save the seed from them rather than to save the seed which remain after the plants have been destroyed.

The following minimum number of feet, plants or specimens to be saved is suggested as being sufficient to supply enough seed for the home garden in 1919: Beans, 5 feet; lettuce, 2 plants; peas, five feet; radishes, three plants.

Either reserve a few feet of the row of beans, or better still, pick off productive plants free from disease. The seed stalks of lettuce are full grown. The seed ripens rather unevenly, and in order not to lose any of it, each head should be picked over as it shows white; it being necessary to go over the plants every few days. The plants can, however, be pulled and hung up to dry.

If some radishes are left unpeeled after being ready for use, they will soon throw up stalks, and good seed will develop. For best results the plants should be at least six inches high.

In saving home-grown seeds, it is important to dry them as soon as possible after they are ripe, then clean them, and keep them dry until needed the following spring.

Peas and beans will soon be spoiled for seed if they do not dry rapidly in the pod after being harvested.

WILSON TO VETO \$2.40 WHEAT PRICE

President Wilson will veto the annual agricultural appropriation bill because of the rider agreed to by both senate and house today fixing the government minimum guaranteed wheat price at \$2.40 a bushel. The information was transmitted to Chairman Lever of the house agricultural committee through Postmaster General Burleson just before Speaker Clark had signed the bill primarily to sending it to the White House.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Barbers of Wainwright have decided that on and after July 15th, 1918 the price of haircuts will be raised to 50 cents. Children's haircut 35c as before with the exception of Saturday.

BURNS CO. ERECTING BIG PLANT AT PRINCE ALBERT

P. Burns and company have commenced the erection of a \$100,000 abattoir and packing plant at Prince Albert. It will be in operation early in September and will handle 100 head of cattle a day and 100 head of hogs an hour.

MORE OR LESS FUNNY
A lady here has a distinct new kind of war bread. It makes her husband fighting mad every time he has to eat it.

IRMA HAS A BIG 12TH JULY DAY

Last Friday Irma was fairly dazed in flags and other signs of holiday attire, for the occasion of the annual celebration of the Loyal Orange lodges of the district. Lodges from Telford, Gilt Edge, Holden, Viking, Wainwright and other places were all there in full regalia to join the procession, which started from the station as soon as the train came in.

It is estimated that there were in the neighborhood of 2,000 people in the town from all over the country. The sports consisted of baseball, basketball, races, etc. The rain that fell toward the latter part of the day prevented some of the program from being carried off, but it did not dampen the ardour of the merry-makers and the fun went on.

Edgerton played a game of baseball with the Irma team which resulted in a win for Edgerton by a score too big to mention.

In the basketball games Viking beat Wainwright by a shut-out score. In the evening before the dance started, a lecture given by Percy Hagel, the noted criminal lawyer, of Winnipeg, took place in the Co-operative hall. Mr. Hagel related his experience in connection with the Krafchenko escape from the Winnipeg police station, and told how he was drawn into the intrigue, and his subsequent trial and imprisonment, together with his "experiences in the pen" where he was sentenced several years. It was an interesting talk and showed the need of prison reform.

The big feature of the day was the dance held in the evening in the new store building. M. M. Cook's four-piece orchestra was on hand and furnished rock music. The hall was filled to capacity with merry dancers and when the hour for breaking up came, many were still loath to leave. An excellent supper was served by the management of the dance and it was a big success.

Irma is to be congratulated on the success of their celebration and the efficient way in which everything was pulled off. A big crowd from Wainwright took the view of the Alberta court of appeals.

Apart from the habeas corpus proceedings which came before the full supreme court bench next week, a difficulty has arisen over the point raised in other court proceedings that the 100,000 limit to reinforcements under the Military Service act, has already been reached.

What is the exact number of reinforcements secured is now a matter of investigation. A total of between 80,000 and 90,000 is cited, but it is asserted, this figure is inclusive of all who should not properly be classed as military service act reinforcements. In any event some modification of the limiting clause is likely to be a matter of early consideration.

EARLY SESSION OF PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, July 15.—An early session of parliament is again discussed here as a likelihood. While no apprehension is felt in official circles, the supreme court will uphold the validity of the April order in council cancelling certain exemptions, it is understood.

The idea is not a new one. The plant has been used for many years on boats, yachts and steamboats for lighting purposes.

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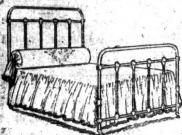
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housewives will not have to put on a hot fire to prepare your
meats. Try some of these choice home cured meats.

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Bonelss Shoulders . . . 38c
Hams, extra quality . . . 40c
Side Bacon 48c

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Cooked Prime Ham . . 50c
Veal Loaf 35c
Pressed Pork 35c
Jellied Tongue 50c
Bologna 25

STUART & PETERSON
PHONE 38 MAIN STREET

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS

Mr. Haase left Tuesday for Seattle.
Mr. Dea of Edmonton, is visiting
his daughter, Mrs. S. Hendrich, for a
few days.

Mr. C. T. Lally has returned to
town after visiting at Banff.

Mrs. W. J. Huntington of Edmon-
ton, is visiting here with her father.

George Wantless, of the Wainwright
Livery barn, has opened a second
hand auction room at a shed. The
first sale will take place on August
3 and goods to be put up for sale
will be received at any time. He will
handle everything from live stock to
household goods, and all on the com-
mission basis.

Word was received in town that
the boys who left here with the En-
signs draft, have left Canada for
overseas.

Alexander Kennedy expects to
leave on a holiday trip to Minnesota
this week. He was operating the ele-
vator at Greenhead.

Harry O. Patiquin, chartered ac-
countant, of Edmonton, is in town
doing the audit for the town of Wain-
wright.

Oh Boy! for the joys of the swim-
min' pool. Some hot these days.

A reception was held in the Grace
Methodist church on Tuesday even-
ing for the Rev. N. F. Priestley, who
has taken over the charge here. Several
speakers welcomed him to the
church, and district, and he replied
in an able manner. The ladies also pro-
vided an enjoyable light lunch. A
short program was also given.

H. P. May and Mr. Jones left this
week for a ten days' fishing trip to
Jasper park, west of Edmonton.

HOTTEST DAY OF THE SEASON
HITS US

Edmonton Official Temperature Was
86 Above at 5:30 O'clock Wed-
nesday

Eighty-six above at 3:30 p.m.
Yes that was the highest tempera-
ture of the season so far recorded.
It was a blatterer and no mistake.
Had it not been for the breeze from
the west humidity would have hit
it a good deal more.

The mercury climbed steadily all
day, reaching the eighties at noon, 83
at 3 o'clock and pressing on to 86
two and one half hours later—Bulle-

Wainwright wasn't missed from
that blistering heat wave either.

BOARD OF TRADE
AFTER MEMBERS

The Board of Trade, want new
members. Every business man in the
town should be affiliated with this
body. It is to your interest that you
help along in the work. The Board
have undertaken a lot of work this
year, and the need of assistants will
be great. Among the most vital ques-
tions that will need working out is
the carrying of the Royal Hospital
scheme as outlined. Some financial
assistance will be need and if every
business man would take out this
year's membership card, it would go
a long way toward meeting expenses.
The fee is only one dollar and the ul-
timate good that will come from the
results of the work of the board will
more than repay you.
See the secretary now who will
provide you with the ticket.

*THE PURCHASE of one thousand
dollars worth of goods from your
own town or your own country, instead
of purchasing outside, means the ad-
dition of one person to your town or your
country instead of supporting him
abroad.*

Laura Peterson, who has been at-
tending the sanatorium at Kamloops
has left the institution and returned
to Edmonton. She was formerly a
resident here.

B. Gano, our town constable, has
left for Toronto where it is under-
stood he will purchase an Overland
car and drive back via the States. He
will certainly have an enjoyable trip
and it is an ideal way to spend a va-
cation. Carl Isied has taken over
the duties of constable for the time
being.

Fred Pursell, a returned veteran,
returned to Edmonton last Wednes-
day to the convalescent home.

Miss Helen Mitchell has taken a
position on the Union bank staff.

Band practice will be held on Fri-
day evening in the band hall. Don't
stay away.

Owing to the excessive heat on
Wednesday the "set acquainted trip"
did not materialize. At a later date
it may be taken up again.

The U. P. W. A. are holding a
mammoth auction sale at the Silgo
school house on Friday, July 19th. A
basket picnic will also be held and a
program of sports pulled off at the
same time. Booths on the grounds
will serve ice cream, etc. Mr. Bower-
man will be the auctioneer. A good
crowd is expected and a big time
will be promised. The proceeds of the
sale will be for Red Cross work.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mills of Wain-
wright, spent exhibition week with
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy, 971
106th street. Mrs. Mills left for
Rocky Mountain, where she will
spend the summer. Mr. Mills re-
turned to Wainwright by auto Wednesday
morning. Bulletin

St. Thomas Church of England
Sunday, July 21, eighth after Trinity:
11 a.m. matins; 12 sacrament of
baptism; 7:30 evensong and holy
communion. Morning and evening
preacher The Vicar.
Thursday, 7:30 litany; 8 p.m. choir
practice.

St. Patrick's, Heath
Sunday, July 21st: 2:30 Miss With-
nell's S. S. class; 3 p.m. evensong,
Preacher, The Vicar.

Grace Methodist Church
Rev. N. F. Priestley will con-
duct services at 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.
Morning subject: "Should Christian
People Enjoy Theatricals?" Evening
subject, "Lessons of the War—The
Value of Discipline." Services will
be held in Greenshields school at 3
p.m.; Sunday school Grace church, 3
50 DUE DAILY IN PETRO-

GRAD FROM CHOLERA
London, July 17.—Some 500 peo-
ple die of cholera daily in Petrograd
according to travellers arriving in Co-
penhagen. At Saratov thousands of
persons are suffering from the mal-
ady. The disease has spread to Fin-
land.

MEATLESS DAYS ARE

OVER FOR FRENCHMEN
Paris, July 17.—The abolition of
meatless days in France after July
20 is ordered in a decree issued today
and appearing in this morning's offi-
cial journal. Economies effected by
three meatless days per week during
two months have amounted to over
31,000 tons, an average saving com-
pared with 1915, when there were no
restrictions of 25 per cent.

AIRMEN KILLED—THE

PLANE FALLS 2,000 FEET
Amsterdam, July 17.—A biplane, carry-
ing mail between Budapest and
Vienna fell from a height of 2,000
feet, according to advices received
here. The two occupants of the ma-
chine were killed.

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1 Dozen DISH PANS	\$1.35	\$1.15
One half Dozen DISH PANS	\$1.50	\$1.25
Two Dozen Heavy Single Tree End Irons	30¢ each	15¢
One dozen Heavy Neckyoke Centre Irons	45¢	25¢
Two Dozen 4-Inch Heavy Cleavers, each	30¢	15¢
1 Dozen Combination Swivel Cleavers, each	60¢	30¢
Wire Cloth for Windows, per yard		35¢ AND 40¢
Three Dozen Wood Clothes Pins		10¢
One half Dozen 1 Gallon Crocks	30¢	25¢
One half Dozen 3 Gallon Crocks	30¢	75¢
1 Only Bread Mixer, No. 4	\$9.75	\$2.85
One Only Bread Mixer, No. 8 each	\$4.25	\$2.50

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this year, it is advisable that you get your supply ordered and feel
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your order with us now we will not only guarantee to fill your
bins before the cold weather starts but.

WE ALSO GUARANTEE TO KEEP YOU SUPPLIED AT
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at all times last winter and WHEN OTHER COAL DEALERS
COULD NOT GET COAL we supplied their customers. The
Coal outlook at present points to a scarcity such as we have not
known in years, so that we cannot promise to do this next winter,
but WE WILL HAVE COAL TO SUPPLY OUR OWN CUS-
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One Tree on Charlotte Island Yielded
40,000 Feet of Timber

Prince Rupert, July 17.—There are
three hundred men logging at Cum-
bermere on Charlotte Island, and
since April when operations started,
more than 12,000,000 feet of airplane
spruce have been cut. Of this quan-
ty two rafts, one with 600,000 feet

and the other with 800,000 feet have
been sent to the mills, while last week
there were two more rafts waiting for
saws, each of which contained 1,000,000
feet of lumber. The government scier
recently scaled one tree which had
three logs in it with a total of 40,000
feet of No. 1 spruce. The smallest
log in this tree was 30 inches at the
top end while the butt of the largest
log measured 11 feet 4 inches. There
are seven camps along the inlet.